



THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 18, 1901.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)  
Washington, April 18.  
Reports from Gen. MacArthur continuing to favor the increasing surrenders of insurgents in the Philippines have caused the War department to make several important decisions. First, that no more natives shall be enlisted, either as regular soldiers or as scouts; second, that three regiments of infantry, four batteries of artillery and possibly a regiment of cavalry, all of the regular establishment, be brought home directly to the movement of the volunteers shall have ceased; third, regiments recruited at home stations shall be held at the various posts in this country until the outward movement of regiments from Manila shall have been reduced to 40,000. Thereafter regiments which have had two or more years of service in the tropics will be replaced by fresh troops from the United States.

President McKinley has decided to announce all or nearly all the appointments of first and second lieutenants before he leaves for the west a week from Monday. There are 588 places in the list and the appointments number into the thousands. To sift, examine and make the best of all these applications has been the most laborious work that the President and the Secretary of War have been called upon to perform since the close of the war with Spain. Two-thirds of the places will go to the states by apportionment, the others going to the non-commissioned officers now in the service.

Members of the American Social Science Association and of the Academy of Science, both of which organizations have been holding their annual sessions in this city, are discussing today the attitude taken yesterday by Surgeon General Sternberg of the United States Army relative to mosquitoes as the sole disseminating agent of yellow fever. Gen. Sternberg had stated that it had been positively determined that the mosquito known as the culex fatigans distributes the disease, and that it is not transmitted by the species of mosquito which is found at greater altitudes. High stone walls are known to operate as preventives, because the mosquito which carries the disease flies low. The theory of Gen. Sternberg is not accepted at full value by the United States Marine hospital service, which has charge of the general subject of quarantine.

The War department this morning received a cablegram from Gen. MacArthur in regard to the alleged frauds in the commissary department at Manila. The dispatch is withheld from publication for the present, but it is learned that it does not confirm the sensational charges of conspiracy among the officers to defraud the government, although it admits that the investigation is not yet concluded.

Counselor Oberlin M. Carter, the ex-army captain who is seeking release from Leavenworth prison by means of habeas corpus proceedings, today filed in the Supreme Court of the United States a motion to have the recent brief of the solicitor general in opposition to Carter's application stricken from the files of the court as "irrelevant and scandalous."

The division of insular affairs of the War Department states that the internal revenue collections in the department of northern Luzon, for 1900 were \$106,791.97. In the province of Manila alone they were \$5,067.32. The Supervisor of Internal Revenue for this department reports that the people as a rule pay their taxes promptly and with alacrity, and that the largely increased revenue for the year 1901 may be safely predicted.

It is said that a conference almost acrimonious in character, is being conducted between the War and Navy Departments concerning the transfer of the army posts at Dry Tortugas to the navy for a naval station. The alleged trouble arises from the disposal of the old battery of 20 rifled guns valued at \$200,000 originally.

Captain Richmond P. Hobson has reported to Admiral Bowles for special duty in the Bureau of Construction and Repair. While on this special duty he will make Washington his home.

The United States treasury holds the sum of \$500,552,523 in gross gold. This is the largest holding of gold in the history of the treasury.

The report that German government circles are negotiating over the circulation of the statement that the indemnity demanded by that country from China is in excess of that asked by France, causes amusement among State Department officials. She is said to demand \$50,000,000. The belief is also spreading in some quarters that the reason for the extravagant demands made by Germany is that she desires to build more ironclads and wants China to pay for them.

**THANKS SHE HAS SWALLOWED A SNAKE.**—Some twenty months ago Mrs. Thaddeus Payne, who lives in the Rappahannock Valley, on the Spottsylvania side of the river, a few miles from Fredericksburg, was taken with a stomach trouble that baffled the skill of her physicians. The affliction has grown until nothing can convince the sufferer that she did not, as she thought, have a snake in her stomach, while drinking water from a small running stream, swallow a small snake, which has increased in size until it has now reached huge proportions. She has a ravenous appetite. When she abstains from food she says the snake becomes restless and annoys her by crawling. Physicians think that most likely it is a very large tapeworm.

**B'NAI B'RITH.**—The District Grand Lodge, B'nei B'rith will meet hereafter in annual session. This was determined upon, after much discussion, at the session of the Grand Lodge in Richmond yesterday afternoon. The seat of the District Grand Lodge will be removed from Baltimore to Richmond, if the sense of the Grand Lodge is sustained by the various individual lodges in the next sixty days. The body voted almost unanimously to remove the seat to Richmond, and it was left to the general committee to look into the matter, with power to act. After instructing the general committee to fix upon the next place of meeting, to be decided upon later, the body adjourned.

**A WEEK UNDER MRS. NATION'S RULE.**—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the saloon smasher, is to conduct the municipal affairs of Medicine Lodge, Kan., for one week. It, during that time, according to the agreement, Mrs. Nation better relations the condition of trade and social relations in Medicine Lodge, her ideas will be adopted permanently and the city run along the lines thus laid down. If business should fall off for the week and a majority of the citizens grow dissatisfied with her conduct of affairs, then the city officers will continue to run it "wide open."

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Secretary Root has decided not to enlist Filipinos as American soldiers, but to retain them as scouts.

Mr. A. L. Randall, of Washington, yesterday testified before the Industrial Commission in favor of Government ownership of the telegraph.

The Surgeon-General of the Army acquiesces in the report of Dr. Hayward that mosquitoes are the principal, if not the only, source of yellow fever infection.

The Committee of Fifteen in New York last night raised seven pool rooms on warrants issued by Justice Jerome. The raid in each case was personally conducted by individual members of the committee, assisted by their own detectives.

Democratic primaries were held in the several wards of Baltimore yesterday for nominations for First Branch City Council and for delegates to the Second Branch conventions, to be held today. In all the wards in which there were marked contests between the friends of Mayor Hayes and the followers of the regular organization the latter were successful.

Dr. Hal S. Scruggs, a leading Memphis physician, was assassinated about 10 o'clock Tuesday night on Poplar Boulevard, one of the most prominent thoroughfares leading from Memphis, while returning from a professional call. The physician was riding in his buggy when the assassins, who had laid in ambush, crept up behind and shot him in the back of the head. One ball penetrated the brain. The officers have a slight clue.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

The Cadet New Market Battle and Battalion Monument has arrived in New York and will at once be shipped to Lexington.

John McBride, of Henrico county, a fireman on the Southern Railway, was killed and two negroes were injured in a rear end collision that occurred near Danville yesterday afternoon.

John D. Rockefeller was in Richmond last night for the purpose of consulting with the Richmond College officials. He has offered an endowment to that institution on certain conditions.

Mrs. Mary Osborne Stansbury, widow of John L. Stansbury, died yesterday at the home of her son-in-law, Peter V. D. Conway, in Fredericksburg, in the eighty-first year of her age.

One white man was seriously, if not fatally, injured and three colored women badly hurt by the explosion of an engine Tuesday night at a sawmill near Gilbert, a station north of Charlottesville.

Mrs. R. B. Mason died at her home near Locust Grove, Orange county, yesterday. She died of paralysis of the throat and was sick only a short time. Besides her husband, ten children, five of them married, survive her.

James Leslie Leacock, baggage-master and shipping clerk of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad in Fredericksburg, dropped dead yesterday while attending to his duties in the freight depot. He was thirty-six years old.

St. Vincent hospital at Norfolk, recently destroyed by fire and just on the eve of its reopening, was again on fire last night. The fire department and the police reserves responded, but the blaze was quickly extinguished without serious consequences.

The State Board of Fisheries has purchased the steam yacht Nantux to take the place of the gunboat Chesapeake recently sold. The board, which has been in session in Newport News, will meet again on May 17 in the same place.

Gov. Odell has signed a bill appropriating \$1,500 for the erection of a monument in the National Cemetery at Culpeper in commemoration of the 28th Regiment of New York.

## FOREIGN NEWS.

Filipinos keep up the war in Cebu and prevent the island's occupation.

Prospects at Copenhagen are favorable to an early sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States.

Li Hung Chang is said to have promised that certain Chinese murderers of the steamship Nantux will be pardoned the officials to execute them.

An unexplained explosion in the Roman Catholic Church of St. Michael, in Berlin yesterday, caused a panic, and several persons were injured by flying debris.

The Irish League directory has resolved not to accept contributions from any persons who were identified with the address to Queen Victoria on the occasion of her visit to Ireland.

The South African Blue Book was just issued in London, contains a letter from Sir Alfred Milner in which he says affairs in South Africa are worse now, from a British point of view, than they were a year ago.

The ministers of the foreign powers at Peking view with alarm the expedition against Gen. Liu Kuan-Ting, as they think he will retreat, possibly laying waste the villages he traverses and killing native Christians, and that such actions will be used as an excuse by the military for further aggression, which would probably lead to the taking of Tai-Yuan-Fu, the capital of Shansi province. At yesterday's meeting of the foreign ministers the question of indemnities was considered. It is estimated that \$350,000,000 will cover all claims.

**HURRIED HOME FOR A BRIDE.**—John J. Webster, who has been a special student during the past year at the Harvard law school, arrived at Cambridge Tuesday with his bride who was Miss Esther Baum of Danville, Ill. The law student left his rooms at Cambridge last Thursday, saying he had an engagement in the West. He took a flying trip to Danville and was married to Miss Baum at 1 o'clock Monday morning. Webster reached his home Sunday afternoon and while his father, the Rev. William H. Webster, went in search of the license clerk, the son in-law of the bride's parents of his intentions. They determined, but seeing his determination, finally gave in. The license clerk refused to break an established rule not to issue certificates on Sunday. At midnight he gave in. The ceremony was performed at "The Oaks," the country home of the bride's parents, an hour later. So quiet was the contemplated wedding kept that several suitors for the bride's hand were entertained by her on Sunday without suspicion.

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## TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

**Foreign News.**  
Vienna, April 18.—Crown Prince William, of Prussia, started from Vienna at noon today, on his return to Berlin. He was escorted to the station by Kaiser Francis Joseph, and a large crowd of people. The crown prince kissed Francis Joseph on both cheeks and bade him a cordial farewell, and the military escort stood at attention while the train steamed out.

London, April 18.—The lobbies of the House of Commons were crowded at an early hour today, in anticipation of the budget being submitted to Parliament by the Chancellor of the Exchequer. The preliminary statements showed the revenue for the year to be \$650,000,000, and the expenditure, \$915,000,000, leaving a deficit of \$265,000,000. The total expenditure to be provided for during the next fiscal year is \$935,000,000.

Paris, April 18.—The Western Railway of France reaffirms that it has received an offer from an American company to establish transatlantic steamships between New York and Brest, and provided the railway company will run express trains in connection with the boats.

Paris, April 18.—Madame Laseher Engländer, an English woman, living at Passy, has been murdered by Ferdinand Ernst because she refused to marry him. Ernst who was born in Chicago and who is said to be director of the Manchester house, and a British subject, shot himself.

Marseilles, April 18.—The situation which was recently created in this city by the strike of the dock laborers will be reversed by the strike at Genoa, Italy. Ships which are loaded with goods here and are unloading at Marseilles wharves and a number of Genoa strikers have arrived here to seek employment.

**Storm in the South.**  
Seima, Ala., April 18.—A heavy rain and wind storm passed over here about 8 o'clock this morning, blowing down the simple on the new court house and taking the roofs off of many buildings, among them the city market. The letter boxes and the glass fronts of the postoffice were demolished. The wind blew out the windows in the rear of the buildings and coming through, struck the glass fixtures in its path, and quickly destroyed them.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 18.—A fierce gale swept this section early this morning. Trees were uprooted and peach orchards, which were in full bloom, were greatly damaged, the blooms being stripped from the trees. Later reports show much damage to chimneys at Fort Cheatham and Churchville. The roof of the Richmond Spinning Mill at East Lake was blown off as was a portion of the roof of Congressman Moon's residence. Many buildings in the suburbs were destroyed. The velocity of the wind was 55 miles.

New York, April 18.—The Postal Telegraph Company reports all wires down between Birmingham and Atlanta. Inquiry develops the fact that another big storm is raging in that region. The damage, if any, is not yet reported.

**Burning of the Imperial Palace.**  
Berlin, April 18.—A dispatch from Peking gives details of the conflagration which destroyed the Imperial palace in which Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee made his headquarters. The conflagration began in the residence of Major Laessle, who was absent at the time, and spread thence to the asbestos house which Count Von Waldersee had brought from Germany. The flames were rapidly consumed by the flames. Count Von Waldersee escaped by the utmost difficulty through a window. Major General Schwartzkopf, Count Von Waldersee's chief of staff, apparently lost his life in re-entering the burning buildings to help in rescuing others whom he supposed to be there. The fire is believed to have been the work of an incendiary. The destroyed palace was one of the Imperial residences in the inner city of Peking, and was formerly the private abode of the Empress of China.

**Car Works Burned.**  
Rochester, N. Y., April 18.—The New York Central railroad company's car works in East Rochester were completely destroyed by fire early this morning. The loss is about \$300,000. In addition to the seven buildings composing the works, fifty freight cars standing on sidings were ruined and a number damaged. The cause of the fire is not yet known. The fire department and the police reserves responded, but the blaze was quickly extinguished without serious consequences.

The situation in South Africa.  
London, April 18.—Lord Kitchener reports that Colonel Buller's army, after a long and hard fight, has defeated the Boers, and that the Boers had blown up the celebrated gun known as "Long Tom," which figured in the siege of Ladysmith, apparently to prevent him from capturing it, and because they were unable to remove it. Pieces of the gun were found. Col. Kitchener captured thirteen prisoners. Another column under Colonel Buller's command captured thirteen prisoners. Col. Buller's column has occupied Bathurst, taking thirteen prisoners. General Elliott's division has brought in a large number of cattle.

**Suicide of a Wealthy Merchant.**  
Paterson, N. J., April 18.—Joseph P. Doremus, a retired merchant, killed himself here at a late hour last night by drinking carbolic acid. Almost insane from grief his widow tried to throw herself from the second story window but a servant caught hold of her dress and probably saved her life. Ten years ago two of Doremus's children died suddenly within a few days of each other. This, it is believed, unbalanced his mind and caused his fatal act of last night. His fortune, estimated at \$1,000,000, was earned by himself and his father in the shoe manufacturing business. Mrs. Doremus is now delirious.

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Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 50c. If C. C. O. fail, druggists refund money.

## Public Consistory.

Rome, April 18.—At a public consistory in the Vatican today there was a large attendance of leading diplomatic representatives, distinguished ecclesiastical and other prominent men, to witness the ceremony of investing the new cardinals with their new dignity by bestowing on them the hat which marks their rank as princes of the church. When Pope Leo made his appearance, he was loudly cheered. He appeared to be in excellent health, and personally pronounced the benediction. After the close of the public ceremony the Pope gave a reception to the new cardinals, and to the commissioners designated to take the hats to new cardinals unable to be in Rome.

**Believes it Will be Accepted.**  
Havana, April 18.—The Marquis of Santa Lucia, president of the constitutional convention, and first president of the Cuban republic in the recent revolution, declares that the present attitude of the convention on the Platt amendment is necessary for the protection of the delegates on account of the temper of their constituents, but that later the convention will accept the amendment. Governor General Wood reiterates his belief that the convention will finally accept the Platt amendment.

**No Strike of Steel Workers.**  
Pittsburg, Pa., April 18.—"There will be no strike; the trust will make concessions, and so will the men." This statement coming as it does from an officer of the Amalgamated Association this morning is authoritative. The workmen have decided to make concessions which will be met by the manufacturer. The first vote will be taken on the matter this afternoon, but the probability of a strike seems, at this writing, very remote.

**Disturbance in the Reichsrath.**  
Vienna, April 18.—When the Reichsrath assembled today Herr Herzog made a speech in which he violently attacked the Austro-Hungarian throne. Herzog said that the Austrians would regard with fear and apprehension the accession to the throne of a prince imbued with such reactionary principles. He sharply rebuked his more abusive language against the heir apparent. When Dr. Koerber, the premier, rose to reply to Herzog's verbal assault the deputies refused to listen to him and a riot broke out from the chamber amid a storm of abuse and vituperation.

**Opening of the Baseball Season.**  
New York, April 18.—"Play ball" will be the cry of the umpires in Philadelphia, Cincinnati, St. Louis and New York this afternoon when the first season of the National League will open. Brooklyn will cross bats with the Philadelphia on their own grounds; Boston will meet the New Yorks in this city; Pittsburg will play at Cincinnati and the Chicago team will open the season at St. Louis.

**The Markets.**  
Georgetown, April 18.—Wheat 70 1/2c.

**ROYAL ARCADE.**—The annual meeting of the Grand Council of Virginia of the Royal Arcanum, which began at Lynchburg on Tuesday, closed yesterday afternoon. Richmond was chosen as the next place of meeting, on the second Tuesday in April. The report of the committee on the state of the order showed the society in an excellent condition. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Alternates to second supreme representative, Charles H. Lumsden, of Lynchburg; grand regent, C. G. Berry, of Staunton; grand vice regent, B. W. Arnold, of Alexandria; grand orator, Rev. F. T. McFadden, of Lynchburg; grand chaplain, A. T. Lincoln, of Marion; grand guide, W. H. Hunkamp, of Fredericksburg; grand warden, Dr. W. P. Ewald, of Portsmouth; grand secretary, W. M. Bickers, of Shenandoah County, of Richmond; grand treasurer, A. B. Bots, of Fredericksburg.

**RODNEY MAINTENANCE SUIT SETTLED.**—The much-discussed suit for maintenance filed by Mrs. Margaret E. Rodney against Paymaster Robert Burton Rodney, United States navy, retired, has been adjusted in Washington court. The Rodney was married according to the allegations made on different occasions the bride and an intimate friend, Miss Cole, locked the groom from his wife's stateroom on the trip South and excluded him from the companionship of his wife during all their married life. Mrs. Rodney began the proceedings by a petition for maintenance based on charges that Paymaster Rodney was not to provide her with necessaries. The Paymaster replied that he intended to "freeze out" Miss Cole, who, he said, occupied big wife's quarters. Yesterday's compromise closes the case. The Rodneys are said to be now living happily at 469 Florida avenue.

**TABLET UNVEILED.**—The unveiling of a tablet on the front of the war home of General Lee in Richmond, was an interesting event yesterday afternoon. The veil from the tablet was removed at 5:30 o'clock in the presence of about 100 ladies and gentlemen. The war home of General Lee is a plain three-story and basement red brick house on Franklin street near Seventh.

Here is the home the family of the commander-in-chief of the Southern army lived during the entire war. The tablet is marble, about 30 inches long by 20 wide, and is placed upon the front of the house. It bears the inscription: "The residence of General Robert E. Lee from 1861 to 1865." The Lee house is one of the landmarks of the war and is visited by most of the strangers that come to the city.

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## THE POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners was held in the court room at the station house last night. There were present Messrs. Hill, Price, Bryant and Miller. In the absence of the Mayor, Capt. Bryant presided.

After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, the Chief's report for this month was read. It contained a plea for an investigation of the matter of Thomas O'Brien, an escaped prisoner from Washington, who had been turned over to a negro policeman from that city without the proper regulation papers, and for which a newspaper had blamed him. The report also mentioned the fact that Officers Lyles and Wilkinson had been suspended for thirty days each by the Mayor for dereliction of duty and assaulting Lieut. Smith.

The secretary then stated that he was in receipt of several applications from citizens soliciting the support of the members of the board for positions on the force.

The Chair stated that the board was not aware of any vacancies existing on the force and when such occurred the applications would be considered.

The Chair then asked Mr. Price to direct the Chief to tell Lieut. Smith and Officers Lyles and Wilkinson to appear before the board at this meeting.

Lieut. Smith immediately appeared before the board and was followed by Officer Lyles and Officer Wilkinson. In answer to a question, the Chief said he had cited both of the officers to appear before the board at this meeting.

Capt. Bryant then asked the Lieutenants to give to the best of their recollection an account of the assault made upon him by Officers Lyles and Wilkinson on the morning of February 15.

Lieut. Smith's testimony was in substance the same as that published in the Gazette on February 15, when the Mayor had suspended the men for 30 days each—that he made his rounds as usual and had met all the men, except one, at 5 o'clock in the morning, when, after blowing his call whistle in several localities of their beat, he received an answer from either Officer Lyles or Officer Wilkinson; that he had proceeded to the station house and was in the act of preparing charges against the men for neglect of duty when Officer Lyles came in and, after some words, attacked him twice, and that the attack of that officer was later followed up by abusive and insolent language from Officer Wilkinson.

Officer Ferguson, who was a witness when the case was before the Mayor, was called and in substance corroborated the statement made by Lieut. Smith.

The case of Officer Smith, charged with violating rule 59 of the rules and regulations of the force by receiving orders from other sources than through the officers of the force, was then taken up.

Chief Webster was the first witness. He stated in substance that about 11 a. m. on February 3 (Sergeant Smith having been reduced to the ranks on the previous night) he was in the act of entering the station house and saw Mr. Atkinson at the telephone. The latter said: "The Mayor wants to talk with you." The Chief said he was ordered by the Mayor to put the ex-Sergeant in Mr. Ferguson's place at the station house while he (Ferguson) was absent.

Attendance on his shift; that Officer Ferguson had resumed his duties at the station house on February 6. He further stated that Officer Smith, for a period of between two and three weeks after he had been relieved from duty at the station had not answered roll call and had been marked absent, but later, by order of the Mayor, had been marked present.

He said that the officer was doing during that time except through the newspapers.

Officer Smith stated that he had been informed (after Mr. Ferguson had returned to the station house) by Chief Webster that the Mayor desired him to collect licenses, which order he had obeyed; that he had no desire to break any rule governing the force, and that when he was guilty of a slight error he should be warned of it by his superiors and not reported to the Commissioners for dereliction of duty. In response to a question, he said he would like Officer Atkinson summoned as a witness in the case.

Officer Atkinson was then called in and sworn. He stated that after Officer Smith was relieved from duty at the station house by Officer Ferguson reporting for duty—he did not remember the date—he was called over the telephone about 1 o'clock in the afternoon by the Mayor, who asked if the Chief was there, and upon receiving a negative reply, the Mayor had told him to tell the Chief, when he came, to detail Officer Smith to collect licenses. Continuing Officer Atkinson said: "The Mayor had not finished talking to me when the Chief came and I called him to the phone and said to him, 'The Mayor wished to talk with him, and I presume he received the same instructions as were communicated to me, for when Officer Smith came in the station house some time later the Chief, in my presence, detailed him to collect licenses by order of the Mayor.' Officer Atkinson also said that he wished to emphatically deny that he had reported to the Mayor that Officer Young was drunk and disorderly at Army Hall on the occasion of the Masonic banquet about a year ago.

Capt. Bryant said that the matter was not now before the board.

Mr. Miller said that when charges against Officer Young were preferred for the offense referred to he had similar charges against Officer Atkinson.

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**DIED.**  
On Thursday, April 18, at 12:45 a. m., in Washington, D. C., of pneumonia, E. D. GARDNER, daughter of Samuel N. Gardner and the late Elizabeth H. Gardner. Funeral from her father's residence, 1022 King street, Alexandria, Saturday, April 20, at 2 p. m. Friends invited. Interment private.

**REGISTER YOUR BOTTLES.**  
The attention of all persons or corporations engaged in manufacturing, bottling, or selling soda water, mineral water, beer or other liquid, is hereby called to the fact that, under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved March 7, 1900, which requires, among other things, the filing in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth on or before the first day of May annually of a description of the names, marks or other devices thereon, in order to secure to said persons or corporations the protection afforded by said act.

J. T. LAWRENCE, Secretary of the Commonwealth. April 18, 1901.

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